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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES:	EXAMINING BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPISTS AND ATHLETIC TRAINERS
MEETING DATE AND TIME:	Tuesday, August 23, 2016 at 4:30 p.m.
PLACE:	861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware Conference Room A , second floor of the Cannon Building
MINUTES APPROVED:	09/27/2016

MEMBERS PRESENT

Jeffrey Schneider, Professional Member, Chairperson
Samuel Sullivan, Professional Member, Vice-Chairperson
Robert Price, Professional Member, Secretary
Angela Smith, Professional Member
Julie Knowles, Professional Member
Kimberly Lewis, Professional Member
Prameela Kaza, Public Member(4:33 pm arrival)

MEMBERS ABSENT

Amy Blansfield, Professional Member
Monique Johns, Public Member
Andrea Godfrey, Public Member

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT

Eileen Kelly, Deputy Attorney General
Rain Marrow, Administrative Specialist II

ALSO PRESENT

Samantha Miller
Doug Decouto
Nicole Lounsberry
Michele Allen

CALL TO ORDER

Mr. Schneider called the meeting to order at 4:29 p.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

The Board reviewed the minutes of the July 26, 2016 meeting. Ms. Knowles made a motion, seconded by Ms. Lewis, to approve the minutes as written. By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Review of Rules and Regulations- Crimes List

The Board reviewed this list. Mr. Sullivan motioned, seconded by Ms. Lewis to approve the list of crimes with the exception of striking 17.1.104. Motion was unanimously carried.

Discussion of "On the field"

The Board would like to revamp "On the Field" to define the difference between a non-residency and residency program. Ms. Knowles motioned, seconded by Ms. Kaza to Table until next month. Motion was unanimously carried.

Review of PT/PTA/AT Applications by Reciprocity for Linda Hurder

The Board reviewed the application of Linda Hurder. Mr. Schneider made a motion, seconded by Mr. Price to approve the application. The motion was unanimously carried.

NPTE Appeal

The Board reviewed the appeal request from Juliet Warrington. Mr. Price made the motion, seconded by Ms. Smith to propose to deny the appeal.

NEW BUSINESS

Ratify PT/PTA/AT Applications by Examination

Ms. Knowles made a motion, seconded by Ms. Smith, to ratify licensure by examination for approval. The motion was unanimously carried. The list is at the end of the minutes.

Ratify PT/PTA/AT Applications by Reciprocity

Ms. Knowles made a motion, seconded by Ms. Smith, to ratify licensure by reciprocity for approval. The motion was unanimously carried. The list is at the end of the minutes.

Review of Continuing Education Courses

Mr. Price made a motion, seconded by Ms. Lewis to deny Continuing Education Courses #1-4. The motion was unanimously carried.

Mr. Price made a motion, seconded by Mr. Sullivan to approve Continuing Education Courses #5-13. The motion was unanimously carried.

1. Elena Doherty- NetCE- MS: A Comprehensive Review- .1 CEU's
2. Elena Doherty- CMSC- Advances in MS Primer- .025 CEU's
3. Elena Doherty- CMCS- A Practical Guide to Rehab in MS- .025 CEU's
4. Elena Doherty- LSVI Global- LSVT Big Training and Certification Workshop- 1.2 CEU's
5. Timothy Phelps- Gawanda Seminars and Counseling- Understanding the ABN for Outpatient Therapy Services- .1CEU's
6. Robert White- Cross Country Education- Releasing the Iliopsoas-.6 CEU's
7. Accelerated Care Plus Corp- Physical Agent Modality Basics- Electrotherapy- .15 CEU's
8. Accelerated Care Plus Corp- Physical Agent Modality Basics- Shortwave Diathermy-.1 CEU's
9. Accelerated Care Plus Corp- Physical Agent Modality Basics- Ultrasound-.15 CEU's
10. Association of Clinical Excellence, LLC- Hip Pain: Complete Management from Start to Finish Part I- .8 CEU's
11. Association of Clinical Excellence, LLC- Hip Pain: Complete Management from Start to Finish Part II- .8 CEU's
12. Christiana Care VNA- Treatment Strategies for the Complex Geriatric Patient- .550 CEU's
13. Delaware Academy of Medicine- 15th Annual John Scholz Stroke Education Conference- .432 CEU's

NPTE Appeals

The Board reviewed the appeal of Samantha Miller. Samantha Miller was present along with her lawyer to discuss her reasons for needing the appeal. After discussion Ms. Knowles motioned, seconded by Ms. Kaza to approve Ms. Miller to sit for her examination. An additional motion was made by Ms. Knowles, seconded by Mr. Price to allow accommodations of double time for her exam. These motions were unanimously carried.

TeleHealth

Mr. Schneider made a motion, seconded by Ms. Smith to table for next month. Motion unanimously carried.

Review of PT/PTA/AT Application(s) by Reinstatement

The Board reviewed the application of Karen Dow for reinstatement. Ms. Knowles made a motion, seconded by Ms. Smith to approve the reinstatement. The motion was unanimously carried.

Review and Discuss Efficacy of Cupping Therapy

The Board decided there was nothing to discuss.

CORRESPONDENCE

Business Proposal from Dr. Geffe

The Board reviewed the proposal and stated that they support the statute as written and denied the business proposal of Dr. Geffe.

OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD

No other business.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 27, 2016 at 4:30 p.m. in the second floor Conference Room A, of the Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Mr. Schneider made a motion, seconded by Ms. Smith, to adjourn the meeting. By unanimous vote, the motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Urainer Marrow
Administrative Specialist II

The notes of this meeting are not intended to be a verbatim record of the topics that were presented or discussed. They are for the use of the Board members and the public in supplementing their personal notes and recall for presentations.